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_____ Letter to the Official Draftsperson;

_____ Set of _____ (____) sheets of drawings containing Figures _____ including the proposed amendments therein; and

_____ A duplicate set of the _____ (____) sheets of drawings with the changes therein highlighted in red.

X To render the transmitted Amendment "" timely filed attached are the following:

X Petition for a one (1)-Month Extension of Time; and

X Payment in the amount of \$120.00 using the Credit Card payment option in E-Filer with RAM will be used to cover the following fees:

X the \$120.00 petition fee for the one (1)-month extension of time.

X No other additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

			SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'T'L FEE	RATE	ADD'T'L FEE
TOTAL 5	MINUS 20	= 0	X		X	
INDEPENDENT 3	MINUS 7	= 0	X		X	
1 st PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+ _____		+ _____	
			TOTAL		TOTAL	0

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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Respectfully submitted,

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